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AGENCY**

LSA Document #00-17

December 20, 2000

Chair
c/o George Angelone
Administrative Rules Oversight Committee
302 Statehouse
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Re: 290 IAC 1; LSA Doc. #00-17

Dear Chair:

Pursuant to Indiana Code 4-22-2-19(c)(2), the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) is providing this written notification to the Administrative Rules Oversight Committee to explain why the beginning of this rulemaking did not comply with the timeframe specified in Indiana Code 4-22-2-19(c)(1).

The statute mandating the adoption of the rule became effective on July 1, 1999. Although SEMA began developing rules to implement the statute even before its final passage, due to SEMA's lack of experience in the rulemaking process, SEMA did not submit the Notice of Intent for publishing in the Indiana Register until January 10, 2000. Therefore, SEMA inadvertently missed the sixty (60) day timeframe.

Sincerely

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